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TITLE: "GARMENT-WORN MICROPHONE AND COMMUNICATION  
SYSTEM AND METHOD EMPLOYING SUCH A MICROPHONE  
FOR VOICE CONTROL OF DEVICES"

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.56, Applicants respectfully requests that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

Reference AL - United Kingdom Application 2 112 266

EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

Reference AL corresponds to German OS 32 24 535 which was identified and discussed at pages 1 and 2 of the present specification. Applicant stands by the statements in the specification concerning the teachings of this reference.

A copy of Reference AL together with Form 1449 is submitted herewith.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with three months of the filing date of the present application, and is therefore in compliance with 37 CFR §1.97(b)(1), and no fee is necessary.



All claims of the application are submitted to be patentable over the teachings of Reference AL, and early consideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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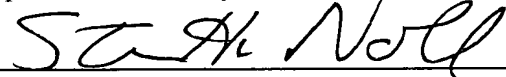
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